

Prospect (n) – anticipation; expectation; a looking forward

Good morning Parkwood Hill family,

Thank you again for your generosity during our Big Kahuna “Cookie Dough” fundraiser. Purchases made by your family, friends, and coworkers allow us to maintain our house system, provide fun and engaging learning opportunities throughout the year, and reward our kids for their achievements. If your child has a fundraiser packet to submit, please have her bring it to school tomorrow, and turn it into her homeroom teacher at the start of the day. Online sales will remain open through Friday, and there’s still time to [register and participate here](#).

As you’ll see below, we have fifth-grade individual pictures on Tuesday morning, the Keller ISD Marching Expo Tuesday evening, and sixth-grade individual pictures on Wednesday morning. I’ve added some “**NEW**” items below as well. As always, I hope you have a fantastic week ahead!

Giving you my “Charger Best, Never Less,”

Brad Tyler, Principal

CURRENT HOUSE POINTS LEADER



Congratulations Akhandata!

The House of Integrity has taken the lead! Students in Akhandata will pick a reward from the Prize Cart this week.

SAVE THE DATE

September

25 – Big Kahuna "Cookie Dough" Fundraiser Packets Due

26 – 5th Grade Fall Picture Day ~ Individual Student Pictures

26 – 10th Annual Marching Expo, 7:00 p.m. at KISD Athletic Complex ([Details Here](#))

27 – 6th Grade Fall Picture Day ~ Individual Student Pictures

October

NEW! 3 – Charger Volleyball Feeder Pattern Night, Central HS ([Details Here](#))

4 – College Spirit Day ~ Wear Your College Gear!

6 – “Block Party” Color Out Day! ~ Wear Your House T-Shirt & Colors!

6 – End of First, Nine-Week Grading Period

9-13 – No School ~ Keller ISD Closed for Fall Break

16 – Start of Second, Nine-Week Grading Period

17 – Chipotle Spirit Night ~ Support PHIS Choir at Watauga Location

18 – PTA Art Night 1, 6:00 p.m. at PHIS Cafeteria

19 – PTA Art Night 2, 6:00 p.m. at PHIS Cafeteria

20 – Final Grade Report (First, Nine-Week Period) Published to [Aeries Parent Portal](#)

21 – “Run-in-the-Dark – Boo Run,” 4:00 p.m. at Keller Town Park ([Details Here](#))

23-27 – Red Ribbon Week 2023 ~ “Be Kind to Your Mind. Live Drug Free”

24 – Fall Orchestra Concert, 7:00 p.m. at Central High School Fine Arts Center

26 – Order Pick-Up Day ~ Big Kahuna Fundraiser (Afternoon)

26 – Fall Choir Concert, 7:00 p.m. at Parkwood Hill Cafeteria

Can't Miss November Event!

Saturday, Nov. 4 – **3rd Annual Parkwood Hill Pumpkin Festival**, 2:00-8:00 p.m.

LOOK AT THE WEEK AHEAD

Daily

FINAL DAYS to Support our Kids! – Our [Big Kahuna “Cookie Dough” Fundraiser](#) ends this week, but students can still earn prizes for selling items online. If you have friends and family who live out of town, they can support our school by purchasing through this Friday. [CLICK HERE](#) to register your student, and you're all set. Thank you for your generosity!

Join PTA! – Basic Membership is only \$10. [CLICK HERE](#) to sign up today!

Monday, September 25

Fundraiser Packets Due – Our Big Kahuna “Cookie Dough” Fundraiser ends this week, and students with “offline” sales are encouraged to turn in their packets on Monday. Fundraiser packets should be turned into each student’s homeroom teacher when they arrive in the morning. Thank you for supporting our kids!

Tuesday, September 26

Fifth Grade Fall Picture Day – All fifth-grade students will have their individual photograph taken this Tuesday. There is no order form or money due on picture day. Instead, a digital proof will be sent in approximately 2-3 weeks, allowing you to view the image, select a background, and purchase portrait packages online. All packages will be shipped directly to your home, and are 100% guaranteed by Glamourcraft.

Keller ISD Marching Expo, 7:00 p.m. at KISD Athletic Complex – The tenth annual KISD Marching Expo is set to take place this Tuesday evening! Come and watch all four high school bands as they present their 2023 UIL contest shows, and enjoy performances by every middle school band. Gates open at 6:00 p.m., and performances begin at 7:00 p.m. Admission is \$5. [Additional details are available here.](#)

Wednesday, September 27

Sixth Grade Fall Picture Day – All sixth-grade students will have their individual photograph taken this Wednesday. There is no order form or money due on picture day. Instead, a digital proof will be sent in approximately 2-3 weeks, allowing you to view the image, select a background, and purchase portrait packages online. All packages will be shipped directly to your home, and are 100% guaranteed by Glamourcraft.

KEEP OUR KIDS SAFE

NEW! “Here Comes the Bus” Mobile App – If your child rides a school bus, Texas Central School Bus, in cooperation with Keller ISD, provides parents with access to real-time location information regarding his/her bus. For more information, including instructions regarding how to access the app and website, [click here.](#)

After-Hours Security Contact – On school days, our campus office hours are 7:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. For assistance with a security situation after hours, such as your child not arriving home on time, feel free to call our KISD Security number at (817)

744-1100 until 5:30 p.m. For after-hours assistance regarding school bus transportation only, Texas Central School Bus can be reached until 5:30 p.m. at (817) 744-1300. If you feel there is an emergency, and it is after 5:30 p.m., please call 911.

GET INVOLVED

NEW! Donate New & Gently Used Pants – Our nurse’s clinic needs new and gently used Boys and Girls Shorts/Pants, sizes Extra Small to Large, as well as Boys Shirts in the same range of sizes. If you have items of clothing you’re willing to donate, we would love to receive them in our campus office, care of Nurse Leong. If you have questions, please email Elizabeth.Leong@KellerISD.net, or call (817) 744-4020. Thank you for your help!

NEW! Review Grades Before End of Grading Period – There are two weeks left in the grading period, and as always, we ask parents to monitor their student’s grades regularly. If your child has missing assignments, or individual failing grades, please discuss them with your child. It may still be possible for your child to submit a missing assignment, or to retake an assignment for a better grade; however, that is at the teacher’s discretion; in accordance with our grading guidelines. Please have your child discuss options with his teacher, or assist your child by contacting his teacher to inquire about them. [Access the Aeries Parent Portal by clicking here.](#)

Complete Permission Form Regarding Library Resources – Given the variety of content within the “Young Adult (YA)” category of books, students will only be allowed to check out YA library books with parent permission. We are asking all parents to [complete the permission form here](#), either granting or denying their child the ability to check-out books in the YA category. Without a permission form returned, your child will not be permitted to check out Young Adult books from our PHIS library.

Join PTA – Parkwood Hill PTA is a gift to our kids, families, teachers, and community. Your support makes it possible to provide key resources and numerous events throughout the school year, including meals/events, campus volunteers, Art Night, Science Night, and the Parkwood Hill Pumpkin Festival,

among others. If you have yet to sign-up, please do so this week! Membership is only \$10! [CLICK HERE](#) to join today!

Register to Volunteer - If you plan to volunteer on our campus this year, or to serve as a field trip chaperone, you must successfully completed a [2023-2024 KISD Volunteer Application](#). This application and background check must be completed each year, and when successful, will cover all Keller ISD campuses. Please apply at least 2 weeks before you are scheduled to volunteer on our campus.

CONNECT WITH US

Campus Flyers – Campus flyers are posted to “Peachjar.” Visit our website at www.KellerISD.net/PHIS and click on “Peachjar eFlyers” under the Quick Links section.

Online Resources – Campus information is always available online!

Campus Website: www.KellerISD.net/PHIS

Campus Counselor Website: <https://bit.ly/3Z84iIV>

Campus “X” (formerly Twitter) Account: www.x.com/ParkwoodHill

Campus Facebook Page: www.facebook.com/ParkwoodHill

PTA Website: www.PHISPTA.org

PTA Facebook Page: www.facebook.com/phispta

“PROSPECT-IVE” SOLUTIONS

If you have any solutions, concerns, or praise that can serve to make Parkwood Hill a better place for our kiddos, please fill out a brief, online feedback form by

clicking [here](#). When using the form, you can choose to share your name, or to remain anonymous.

Thank you for staying informed, active, and involved in the education of our
Chargers!



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